TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 590 - HB 1069

February 23, 2021

SUMMARY OF BILL: Authorizes the Tennessee Rehabilitative Initiative in Correction (TRICOR) to sell good, wares, and merchandise manufactured by inmates to private nonprofit corporations and charitable organizations in Tennessee if the TRICOR Board determines the sales do not unfairly compete with private sector businesses in Tennessee. Specifies inmates making such goods, wares, and merchandise are required to be paid an appropriate wage so that the products do not unfairly compete with private sector businesses in Tennessee.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- TRICOR is self-sufficient and generates revenue through the sale of products and services.
- Any sale of products authorized by TRICOR's Board will function in a manner to maintain self-sufficiency; therefore, any fiscal impact to state or local government resulting from the proposed legislation is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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